

CONDITION OF LABOR.

Important Investigations Being Made by the Department.

PURPOSE OF THE INQUIRY.

An Exhaustive Report Giving the Number of Strikes and Lockouts Since 1887 to Be Published—Omission in the Tariff Law—Men Taking the Place of Women in the Treasury—Other News.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The department of labor has about completed its investigation of strikes and lockouts that have occurred since 1887, upon which it has been engaged for many months past. The report will not, however, be published before next spring. It will form an exhaustive showing of all the labor troubles in the United States since the date named, the number of employes involved in each strike or lockout, the causes of the trouble, the loss in wages, etc., the investigation being covered by about 30 questions. The next subject to be investigated by the department is the influence of machinery on labor. Congress has appropriated \$10,000 for this besides authorizing the use of the regular force of the bureau. The work of the inquiry will begin in November. The field force will be put upon it as fast as they complete their work on strikes and lockouts. The statistics of strikes and lockouts will be kept from year to year hereafter.

PRESERVED FRUITS.

No Provision for a Duty in the New Tariff Act.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Examination of the tariff law at the treasury department discloses the fact that it contains no provision whatever for a duty upon imported fruits, preserved in brandy or other spirits. The omission was not discovered until an application was received from a large importer of such goods for information as to their classification under the present tariff law. Under the McKinley law "fruits preserved in spirits" were subject to a duty of 35 per cent ad valorem. The question as to the classification of these goods under present conditions has not yet been determined.

It is probable, however, that the department will decide that the best way out of the dilemma is to assess duty upon the spirits and the fruits subsequently according to the rate provided for each in the tariff act. The preserving of fruit in this manner is an extensive industry, and the importations of such fruits, especially brandied peaches, is very heavy. In case the department decides to assess duty on the spirits, as well as on the fruits, the duty will be higher than it was under the old law.

WOMEN MUST GO.

Their Places in the Treasury Department Being Taken by Men.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—The large number of female clerks dismissed from the treasury department in the past few days has occasioned considerable comment. It is said to mark a new policy of the department. Of all the clerks so far discharged fully five-sixths have been women of the high salaried grades. The vacancies created will be filled by appointing and promoting men. The flood tide of women clerks in the treasury has been reached and henceforth it is said men will be appointed to the higher places. Divisions are said to be seriously crippled from the heavy preponderance of women clerks, and in some rooms where the ledgers are very heavy they have to be lifted into place as occasion requires by men in the office. As a rule the women clerks are absent on account of sickness much more than the men, and this has had a potent influence in causing the change of policy as to appointments.

DOESN'T APPROVE IT.

Congressman Price on the Democratic Bolt in Louisiana.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Representative Price, Democrat of Louisiana, is here on his way home after being at Saratoga since congress adjourned. He is one of the largest sugar planters in Louisiana. Concerning the action of the Louisiana Sugar Planters' association in leaving the Democratic party Mr. Price said: "I do not approve of their action and I will not be a party to it. As yet I have not had an opportunity to gauge the force of the bolt, as I have not been in Louisiana. When congress reassembles the Louisiana delegation will undoubtedly urge an appropriation to pay at least a part of the sugar bounty on this year's crop, as good faith demands this should be done."

CHARGED WITH COUNTERFEITING.

Important Capture of Paraphernalia at Ashley, Ills.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Chief Hazen of the treasury secret service was last night informed of the arrest at Ashley, Ills., of A. H. Halfey, alias H. Waterman, on the charge of counterfeiting a \$20 treasury note of the series having on its face the Manning vignette. Halfey made the plates for the counterfeiting and according to Mr. Hazen's advice he admits it. The paraphernalia captured includes two presses, printing ink, acids, paper, silk and plates. Another set of plates also designed originally for counterfeiting the same note were found recently by a boy in the Ohio river at Cairo and sent to the treasury department.

Weather.

Indiana and Ohio—Cloudy; slightly warmer.

NEW MATCH COMPANY.

It Is Organized by Edwin Gould to Buck Against a Monopoly.

NEW YORK, Sept. 21.—The Goulds have gone into trade again. This time the staple article is matches. Heretofore the Diamond Match company has controlled the entire trade of this country and has offered powerful resistance to the importation of Swedish matches, which can be sold here for half the cost of the native product. This company is more than a trust. It is a national monopoly. It simply buys outright any competitor worth taking the slightest notice of. It is more powerful than a trust in suppressing competition and keeping up prices. Reliable estimates place the capital of this company at \$20,000,000, liberally watered, and the annual earnings at 10 per cent on the capital. Edwin Gould, son of Jay Gould, has organized the Continental Match company, and a cut in prices may be expected shortly.

HIS HAIR ON FIRE.

Alleged Practical Joke That Resulted Seriously.

TRIMBLE, Tenn., Sept. 21.—Yesterday Jim Harber and others were sitting in front of a grocery. Bob Jellow drew a sun glass from his pocket and focused its lens on Harber's uncovered head. The glass did more than was expected. The concentrated rays did not reach Harber's scalp, but suddenly his head was a mass of flames, caused by the ignition of the bay rum on his hair, he having just come from the barber shop. When his head caught fire he started to run but Frank Gordon caught and held him while others extinguished the blaze with their hats and handkerchiefs. Yesterday he brought suit against Jellow for \$100,000. Physicians say Harber's head will never be adorned with another suit of hair. Jellow is quite wealthy.

REBUKED.

Action of Sympathetic Strikers Denounced by the Firm.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Sept. 21.—The firm's convention yesterday afternoon adopted a series of resolutions denouncing the action of those members who struck through sympathy with Pullman strikers; pledging the brotherhood to hereafter abide by all its agreements and to await the action of the grand lodge officers before going out on a strike; protesting against the other labor organizations on strike attempting to induce the members of the brotherhood to join them through sympathy; declaring against the position of Vice Grand Master Hannahan in the Pullman strike in advising members not to work with nonunion men and approving that of Grand Master Sargent and other grand lodge officers.

German Baptists.

PEORIA, Ills., Sept. 21.—The German Baptists of the central district, comprising the states of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan and Missouri, met here yesterday for a six days' session. After devotional exercises, the conference organized by electing officers. Reports submitted showed an increase in the conference of 410 during the year. Missionary reports were read and accepted, three new churches admitted and addresses delivered by D. Koestler of Cincinnati and G. Stulthe of Jersey City.

Bitten by a Mad Dog.

LACON, Ills., Sept. 21.—L. C. McMurtrie's greyhound, which showed symptoms of hydrophobia, bit Alva Drake in the wrist, and before the dog was captured he bit a score of other dogs. Mayor Thompson issued an order to shoot all unmuzzled dogs and warned people of the danger. Mr. Drake was left for Chicago to take the Pasteur treatment, as local doctors pronounced the wound serious. The head of the dog has been sent to the Pasteur institute.

Carried Away by an Eagle.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Sept. 21.—An Indian babe, five or six months old, was a few days ago swooped down upon by a great black eagle and carried away, far beyond reach. Three of the eagles, driven from Mexico by storms, had been seen in this locality for several days. A party of Papago Indians were gathering berries while the papoose lay exposed in a blanket on the hillside. The Indians raised a great outcry as the eagle soared away with its prey.

Dragged 1,000 Feet.

BUENOS AIRES, O., Sept. 21.—John Pownall of St. Louis, a one armed stenciler, attempted to get on a freight train here yesterday. He caught the iron hook of his arm stump into the railing on a freight car and missed his footing. He was thrown and dragged 1,000 feet, bumping against the ties and rails, until thrown against a target house with such force as to tear the flesh from his arm and loosen the hook. He will die.

Broke the World's Record.

DENVER, Sept. 21.—Captain W. A. Glassford, chief signal officer, U. S. A., department of Colorado, arrived in Denver yesterday direct from the heights of Mount Uncompaghe where, with the assistance of Sergeants Bastch and Griffin stationed on Mount Ellen, they succeeded in breaking the world's record for long distance heliograph signaling.

Served With the Papers.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Secretary Carlisle has been served with the papers in the mandamus proceedings brought by the Miles Planting and Manufacturing company of Louisiana to compel the inspection of their plant under the bounty provision of the McKinley law.

Result of a Drunken Row.

VALLEY VIEW, Ky., Sept. 21.—Last night Jesse Howard and Robert Jones got into a drunken row across the river from here, in which Howard shot Jones, killing him instantly. Howard was arrested.

THE TIE-UP COMPLETE.

Readymade Clothing Operatives on a Strike at Boston.

DEMAND A NINE-HOUR DAY.

Lumping and Sweating System Also Included Among Their Grievances—Contractors and Manufacturers Surprised. What the Wholesalers Say—Strike of Hatters at Newark, N. J.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—The readymade clothing industry of this city is completely paralyzed by a strike of operatives. A committee from the United Garmentworkers' union commenced the war by calling out every operative, pressman and baster employed in the 250 shops here. Fully 5,500 are out. The issue of the strike is now clearly defined as being an endeavor to secure the abolition of the lumping and sweating system and the adoption of the week wage system and the 9-hour day. Although the contractors favor the demands of the operators they claim that, as the wholesalers decline to grant anything, their hands are tied. Both contractors and manufacturers are surprised at the completeness of the strike. It was expected by the trades council that in some shops a few operators would refuse to come out, but the doubtful ones were among the first to leave and to it is confidently asserted that not a contractor within a circuit of five miles can obtain an operator.

Strikers Firm.

Yesterday a number of contractors had conferences with the committee of employes and afterward the contractors held a meeting. They decided that an effort should be made to induce the manufacturers to increase their prices and a committee was appointed to draw a bill of prices in conformity with the demands of the employes. The strikers held a monster massmeeting yesterday afternoon and the sentiment was that no one should return to work under the old condition. A number of wholesale merchants were seen and the general opinion was that the operators have struck just at the right time and the manufacturers will have to increase their prices fully 40 per cent.

GENERAL STRIKE.

Hebrew Hatters of Newark, N. J., to Go Out—Demand an Increase.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 21.—After a long conference the Hebrew hatters of this city yesterday decided upon a general strike. Twenty of the strikers were appointed a committee and are busily engaged in visiting all the shops not under control of the "fair" hatters and calling out the men. Several hundred men have quit work. This action of the hatters, which has been hanging fire for some time, was brought about by the refusal on the part of employers to advance the men's wages.

BRUTAL MURDER.

Arabian Peddler Killed and His Companion Shot.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 21.—A most brutal murder was committed here last evening. Two Arabian peddlers, John Mikshiver and Michael Johns, were returning from a trip to Plymouth when they were stopped by two unknown men who demanded their money. The Arabians attempted to go on their way when one of their assailants fired at Mikshiver. Two balls penetrated his heart and he fell dead. The murderers then turned their attention to Johns and shot him in the side, inflicting a flesh wound. They then robbed the peddlers of \$180.

Good Samaritan Shot.

BRISTOL, Tenn., Sept. 21.—At Dorchester, Va., Chief of Police Walling killed a friendly Italian who was taking the officer's drunken brother home. The Italian and a friend found the man too drunk to get out of the gutter, and started home with him, when the policeman, thinking they intended to rob him, commanded them to release him. When they started to run for the other side of an embankment the chief opened fire.

Will Not Permit Annexation.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 21.—The Novosti commenting upon the situation in the east declares that the victory of Japan will not make Russia falter in her strong resolve not to permit any annexation of Korea. The paper adds that the present state of things favors European intervention with a view to bringing about a cessation of the war, which is prejudicial to European commercial interests.

SHORT TELEGRAMS.

Crisis is said to be approaching in the affairs of the whisky trust.

Directly broke the 2-year-old pacing record at Galesburg, Ills. Time, 2:07 1/2.

Washington Republican state convention declared against the free coinage of silver.

Greek brigands near the Turkish frontier captured two government officials and put them to death.

Hebrew residents of New York will erect a statue to the memory of Jesse Seligman, the philanthropist.

An explosion in a paint shop at New York caused the serious burning of Charles Goodwin, Oscar Goodwin and William Moore.

B. P. Hutchinson, known as "Old Hutch," is running a cigar stand in Chicago. He was worth millions at one time, but lost it in speculation.

Congressional campaign committees of both parties have advised candidates to use their own judgment as to the silver question in the coming campaign.

EXTERMINATING THEM.

Animals in Alaska Being Rapidly Decimated by Adventurers.

DENVER, Sept. 21.—Joseph Murray, fish commissioner for Alaska, who has just returned from a trip to that country with Assistant Secretary Hamilton of the treasury department, said in an interview yesterday: "Unless some steps are taken there will shortly be no fur bearing animals in Alaska. The adventurers who flock in there are rapidly exterminating the animals and the companies who are canning salmon are no better. The laws need enforcement and the government should have plenty of agents to see they are enforced. Fox skins range in value from \$10 to \$20. A party goes on an island with a supply of strychnine, bait is poisoned and the foxes eat it. They are skinned and a stake is made. The carcasses are eaten by crows and the birds die. Foxes that missed the poisoned bait eat the poisoned birds and in a short time there is not a fox on the land."

LUCKY FIND.

Chunk of Gold Valued at \$500 Picked Up in Rhode Island.

GREENPORT, R. I., Sept. 21.—While S. P. Grady was driving near the Main street wharf here the wheel of his wagon struck something that gave forth a ringing sound. He quickly dismounted and discovered a queerly shaped piece of gold metal about 8 inches thick and 10 inches in diameter. The top of the mass shows coins perfect in form. During the past summer a dredger had been at work in the harbor. The mud excavated had been thrown in portions of the dock which need filling and it was in this wharf that Grady found the curiosity. The treasure weighs nearly 12 pounds and is supposed to be worth at least \$500. It will be sent to an assayer to determine its value.

WORTHLESS MORTGAGES.

Residents of Warwick, N. Y., Duped by a Shrewd Swindler.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Sept. 21.—John M. Quackenbush of Warwick has been acting as an agent for L. F. Atterbury of Maysville, Mo., for the past five years in the sale of mortgages. It has just been discovered that the mortgages have been forged. Residents of Warwick have been victimized to the amount of \$80,000. As soon as it became known that the mortgages were worthless demands were made on Quackenbush for the money invested through him, which he was unable to refund.

GIVEN TWO YEARS.

Lizzie Christy Pleads Guilty to Stealing a Horse and Buggy.

CARTHAGE, Mo., Sept. 21.—In the circuit court here Lizzie Christy, an attractive girl of modest manners, pleaded guilty to stealing a horse, buggy and harness at Webb City last summer and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. The officers say they have evidence to show that her sweetheart, a sportive young farmer who lives near Webb City, really committed the theft. They say the two left Webb City in the stolen rig, but at Sedalia the man deserted her.

UNIQUE SENTENCE.

Boy Must Attend School Six Months or Serve the Same Period in Jail.

LARNED, Kan., Sept. 21.—Ray Kaughn, aged 14 years, pleaded guilty to the charge of petty larceny in court yesterday and received a most unique sentence. It was six months attending the city schools, and if without an excuse he absents himself he is to be taken into custody by the sheriff and incarcerated in the county jail for the full period named in the sentence.

Eastern War.

LONDON, Sept. 21.—The Chronicle this morning points out that the dockyards of Japan are far superior to those of China and that therefore her damaged vessels will be much quicker repaired. This will give her a distinct advantage in the future. It is safe to forecast also that the Hunan army landed by the transports on the Korean side of the Yalu river will surrender en masse after a short and ferocious defense. The paper adds that if the war continues at the present rate China will soon be compelled to ask terms of peace.

Sold at Auction.

CHICAGO, Sept. 21.—The swell Lexington hotel at Michigan boulevard and Twenty-second street, said to be valued at \$1,000,000, was sold at the delinquent tax sale by the treasurer of the county for the sum of \$6,410.74. The purchaser is William Mills who is said to hold a position as a salaried clerk. For the time being he is a millionaire from the standpoint of title deeds.

Heavy Rainstorm.

DES MOINES, Sept. 21.—The heaviest rainstorm of the season fell here last evening accompanied with hail. One and fifty-two hundredth inches fell in 15 minutes time, flooding the streets of the city. The sewers were unable to carry off the water and many cellars were filled. Considerable damage to windows was done by hail.

Wife Murderer Captured.

PINE BLUFF, Ark., Sept. 21.—Sheriff Black has arrived from New Orleans with Jordan Phillips, who in 1891 shot and killed his wife and escaped to South America. Thinking the matter forgotten, he returned to New Orleans a few months ago, when Sheriff Black caused his arrest.

Damages Wanted.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 21.—Canmakers' assembly, K. of L., has entered suit for \$1,000 against the Kirwin Manufacturing company for alleged breaking of a written agreement bearing upon the subject of union labor and wages.

INDIANA STATE FAIR.

Attendance Yesterday Estimated to Have Been 30,000.

SOME PREMIUM WINNERS.

Wabash Manufacturers Object to Meter Measurement for Natural Gas—Increase in Rates Also Scheduled—A. O. Jones, a Prominent Merchant of Lagrange, Given Two Years for Assault.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 21.—Yesterday was the big day at the state fair. The attendance was estimated at 30,000. Every building having an exhibit was crowded. One of the objects of special interest to strangers was the racetrack. The following awards were made: Jersey bulls, first, A. T. Dempsey, Columbus, O.; Guernsey bulls, first, Denning Horse company, Denning, Ind.; dairy breeds, first, J. L. Henderson, Zanesville, O.; Red Polls, first, J. H. Miller, Mexico, Ind.; Galloways, first, David McKay, Fort Wayne. George H. Kirkpatrick of Union City took the first premium for honey and bee supplies.

BY METER MEASUREMENT.

An Advance of 50 Per Cent in Gas Rates to Manufacturers.

WABASH, Ind., Sept. 21.—Manufacturers of this city using natural gas for fuel are disturbed over a notice issued by the Wabash Natural Gas company, which announces that it will decline to furnish gas to factories except by meter measurement, and then only at an advance of 50 per cent in the rates heretofore charged. The new schedule goes into effect Oct. 1, when the rate will be increased from 5 to 7 1/2 cents 1,000 feet. Some of the factory owners deny the right of the company to charge in excess of the rate fixed by ordinance for manufacturers, and say they will put the matter to a legal test.

OLDEST VETERAN.

John Serber, Who Fought With Jackson and in the Late War.

KOKOMO, Ind., Sept. 21.—Ripley boasts of having the oldest Indiana veteran in the person of John Serber, aged 96 years. Serber fought with Jackson at New Orleans and draws pensions for both wars. He was a member of Company A, Fifty-fifth Indiana Volunteer infantry. In 1865 he was caught in a railway smash-up and discharged. He had not been heard of by his comrades for 25 years until this week. W. T. Merrill of this city, a member of his company, accidentally ran across him. When 94 years old Serber married a Ripley county woman and they live on a little farm near New Carrollton.

WILLIS ACQUITTED.

Jury Finds the Slayer of Hultz Not Guilty—Plea of Insanity.

VINCENNES, Ind., Sept. 21.—Sheriff Willis of Sullivan county was acquitted yesterday of the murder of ex-Prosecuting Attorney Hultz. In June, 1893, Willis found Hultz at his home with his wife and shot him, but did not kill him. Hultz recovered and left Sullivan, but afterward returned. Willis disguised himself and meeting Hultz on the street shot him, killing him instantly. Willis was acquitted on the first ballot on a plea of insanity.

Two Years for Criminal Assault.

LAGRANGE, Ind., Sept. 21.—After a trial lasting three days O. A. Jones was found guilty of criminal assault, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment. His victim is not 14 years old. Jones is 60. He is a prominent merchant, a large manufacturer and an old and active member of four or five fraternities. His family is well connected and very respectable.

Prominent Citizen Dead.

WASHINGTON, Ind., Sept. 21.—Captain G. S. Walters, a prominent citizen of this city, died at Washington, where he has been for some months in the federal service. He was 70 years old. He served two terms as clerk of the circuit court in this county, and was captain of Company I, Sixteenth Indiana, during the war. His remains will be interred here.

Child Falls Fifty Feet.

ELKHART, Ind., Sept. 21.—While playing in a third-story room of a block yesterday afternoon Orpha Young, a 7-year-old girl, fell through the window to the ground, a distance of 50 feet, striking on a large square timber, breaking her leg above the knee and fatally injuring her internally.

Arrested as a Deserter.

MUNCIE, Ind., Sept. 21.—Two weeks ago Emory L. Chalfant, bugler for the Muncie Fencibles, enlisted in the regular army at Indianapolis. He then decided that he would not go west, and he came home. He was arrested as a deserter and taken to Indianapolis yesterday.

Jersey Cattle Sale.

MUNCIE, Ind., Sept. 21.—At the annual auction sale of the White River Jersey Cattle company yesterday 60 head were sold at prices ranging from \$25 to \$300 per head. The average price was over \$100. Buyers were present from several states.

Guilty of Incest.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 21.—James Riddle, who was whitecapped some weeks ago and driven out of the county and who was afterward returned and lodged in jail here, was found guilty of incestuous relations and sent to prison for five years.

RIOT IN BOSTON.

Constables Endeavor to Serve Replevins on Italian Paraders.

BOSTON, Sept. 21.—A parade of Italian societies in honor of the restoration of Rome broke up in a riot last night in which three constables, who had attempted to serve replevins on two of the paraders, were roughly handled. The Italians with drawn sabers were marching about 6 o'clock when Constable Blatt and two assistants attempted to take two members of the Societa da Garibaldi on writs of replevin. The officers were at once surrounded by indignant Italians who handled them very roughly, shouting and waving their swords menacingly. The mounted police, who were at the head of the column, dashed into the mob and with several patrolmen rescued the constables and dispersed the parade with considerable difficulty. Three Italians were arrested.

Discharged for Expressing Sympathy.

LITTLE ROCK, Sept. 21.—Since Saturday the Missouri Pacific is said to have discharged 14 firemen and six engineers at this end of the line and eight or 10 firemen at Van Buren on the charge of being implicated in the recent strike, or expressing sympathy with it. There are said to be 25 more names on the list of men to be discharged. The majority of these men refused to go out on strike, but some of them casually expressed sympathy with the strikers, and for this reason are being decapitated.

Brothers Meet a Similar Fate.

BENSON, Ariz., Sept. 21.—At the rock camp on the Arizona and Southern railroad grade John Raglan, a negro gambler, shot and killed Antonio Barela, a Mexican, in a quarrel over a game of cards. Barela's brother was killed at the same place under somewhat similar circumstances a few years ago.

Kicked by a Horse.

VIRGINIA, Ills., Sept. 21.—Jesse Robinson, aged 25, is dead of concussion of the brain. About three weeks ago while out riding his team ran away, overturning the buggy, throwing him under the horses' feet, one of which kicked him on the forehead, which finally resulted in his death.

INDIANA BRIEFS.

A heavy flow of swamp gas was found while drilling a well in the vicinity of Coffey.

Wes Colescott's barn was burned near Kokomo. Three horses and two mules perished. Loss, \$4,000.

Indianapolis saloonkeepers complain that the police eat up all their profits by sponging on them for drinks.

Chauncey M. Stetson, formerly of Fountain, was found dead in bed at Terre Haute. He was a retired coal operator.

Richard Goodman of Summitville, who some months ago was shot by Deputy Sheriff Coburn of Anderson while in the act of committing a burglary, hobbled into court and pleaded guilty.

While testing a 14-inch pipe in the natural gas pumping station at Redkey there was an explosion. A fragment of the pipe struck George Edger, fatally injuring him, after which it tore through the wall of a building 100 feet away.

John W. Curtis, employed in an Evansville furniture factory, while shifting a belt, was caught and jammed against the line shafting, where he remained until the engine was stopped. His left arm and several ribs were broken, and he was hurt internally.

BASEBALL.

Western League.

Pitchers.	R	H	E
Indianapolis, Phillips.....	17	21	6
Sioux City, Killen.....	9	9	1
Eight innings.			
Toledo, Hughey, Hatfield.....	35	24	3
Minneapolis, Fraser, Werden, Hulen.....	8	10	7
Eight innings.			
Milwaukee, Lettger.....	9	12	3
Grand Rapids, Rhines.....	8	16	4
Petroit, Horchers.....	9	15	5
Kansas City, Darby.....	1	4	7
Detroit, Pears.....	5	17	4
Kansas City, Hastings.....	2	6	1

National League.

Pitchers.	R	H	E
Boston, Nichol.....	4	7	3
Louisville, Inks.....	3	6	6
Chicago, Abbey.....	29	19	3
Philadelphia, Scheble, Johnson.....	4	9	8
Pittsburg, Menefee.....	10	17	2
New York, Ruste, Clark.....	3	10	7
Cleveland, Wallace.....	14	14	3
Washington, Boyd.....	8	5	9

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Prevailing Prices for Grain and Cattle on Sept. 20.

Indianapolis.

WHEAT—45¢@48¢. CORN—53¢@56¢. OATS—30¢@32¢.

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For Prosecutor, 13th District,
HENRY C. LEWIS.
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High School Notes.

Enrollment yesterday, 160.
One noticeable feature of the school course this year is the large amount of reference work. The U. S. history class does not use a text book. The teacher, Prof. Ogg, gives the pupils slips containing references to the work in various books in the city library, and they are expected to study these just as thoroughly as they would a text book. The book used in general history is a mere outline of the work, and the remaining information is gathered from other books. The same plan is pursued in the English classes, especially in the biographical study. Although the reference work in the science department does not require so large an amount of study in other books, the pupils have abundant opportunities and are expected to look up subjects which especially interest them. Those who have charge of the city library have done all in their power to provide a suitable class of books for reference work. They have succeeded in supplying the students with the best works on the various subjects, and have made the library very valuable to the high school. By this plan of work the pupils can gain a much broader knowledge of the subjects than would be possible if their study was confined to the text books. The librarian is glad to assist in every possible way those who go to the library for work.

Mr. John Hillis gave us some delightful music yesterday morning. He sang two pieces, the first being a selection from the "Triumphant Songs, No. 3." The second was "I am on a Shining Pathway," arranged to the music of "Annie Laurie." Both songs were rendered in a beautiful manner and were thoroughly appreciated by the school. Mr. Hillis is a graduate from high school, being a member of the class of '87. His pleasing manners and voice have made him a favorite with the pupils and he is always welcomed by them.

Several members of the school attended the "Last Days of Pompeii" at Indianapolis yesterday.

Mabel Hollingsworth, daughter of Dr. Hollingsworth, of the College Avenue church, has entered school.

The seniors are puzzling their minds about the laws of gravitation. Some of the boys say they are afraid they will lose their gravity in school and be expelled into space.

Our visitors since last Tuesday were: John Hillis, Lulu Frank, Meda Stoner, Mabel Collins, Jesse Earle and Hiram Collins.

The Class of 1900.

New York Sun.
TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN—Sir: The suggestion of Prof. Francis Joseph Vernon that the class of 1900 be called the "Aughty aughts," sounds too much as though a man were trying to say "Eighty-eight" who had lost his palate. I had a friend in '88 built that way, and his yell in the enthusiasm of a football victory meant of course nothing, though it was great and peculiar. Why not let the classes of 1900 kick up like real rogues in college, get plucked on the final exams, and call themselves the "Naughty-naughts."

"I'm only a Naughty-naught," instead of "I'm Harvard," or "Yale nineteen hundred," would at once win respect for the young man applying for a job. Its manly modesty and evident truth would inspire confidence and open paths of success.
A. NAUGHT.
Cambridge, Aug. 11.

Today's Local Markets.
(Furnished the DAILY BANNER TIMES daily by R.W. Allen, manager of Arthur Jordan's poultry house.)

Hens, 1 1/2 to 2 lbs.	10
Cocks, young and culls.	8
Turkeys, old.	12
Turkeys, young, choice fat.	15
Turkeys, young, choice fat.	15
Ducks.	10
Geese, choice fat, 1 1/2 and over.	10
Geese, plucked.	10
Eggs, fresh, subject to handling.	10
Butter, fresh roll.	15
Butter, No. 2.	15

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STORIES OF THE STREET.

Interesting Items Picked up in Passing, by our Long Eared Reporters.

An exchange remarks that it has been the custom of a great number of ladies all over the country for years to hide the front door key inside a shutter, under the step, at a certain place along the walk or hang it on a nail on the portico when they go out after supper. But this custom has been done away with. It was considered all right to do this in the good old times when everybody was honest, but it is a little risky now. The latest and safest place to hang it is on a little book attachment to the garter. This key attachment is something like snaps on harness and equally as safe. Young man, if you should happen to go home from prayer meeting or church with a young lady and she sorter hangs around the door of her home and shifts the weight from one foot to the other, and looks longingly at the gate, just remember where the key hangs and bid her good night.

There is war among the local democratic sports. One of them said to the BANNER TIMES, "I am dead sore. At the democratic county primary election we supposed we were getting a square deal and backed certain candidates with our money. The leaders—the 'gang' as you call them—had the cards stacked on us, however, and robbed us. They bet on Denman for auditor and though they had other fellows put up the money, we are slick enough to know now, though we didn't have sense enough at the time, where that money came from. The gang backed Denman with their money and we went up against the game like a lot of suckers. Sore? Well I should say we were. We propose to get revenge though and will knife the gang's candidate at the polls, just as they knifed us in the primary. You'll hear from us later."

"The use of special delivery postage stamps is not generally understood," said Postmaster Neff today. "They are beneficial in various ways. For instance if you want a letter delivered at any time to any point within the limits of our city, all you have to do is to buy your ten cent delivery stamp, stick it on, hand it to the postmaster and he immediately delivers it. It is receipted for at its destination and you can thus assure yourself upon the return of the messenger that your letter has been safely received. This is an opposition to the tardy messenger boy that the government requires of us and we do it. In large cities this service is rapidly taking the place of messenger service and business men are just finding it out."

The democratic octopus book monopoly, which controls the school book output of Indiana, has failed to supply our local dealers with certain books. The orders were sent in in June and now the children are suffering because the books are not here. One democrat criticised the republican school board because his children had to be without books, and was politely informed that the school board was not running the school book monopoly, that it was a democratic institution. The democrat, who would rather think democracy right and have his children suffer, said "That's right, blame everything on to the democrats."

A story reaches the BANNER TIMES of a young hardware merchant's mistake. A friend called at the store and asked for a left-handed monkey wrench. The merchant looked all over his stock of wrenches, examining box after box, until finally his friend could hold in no longer and gave the joke away. Left-hand wrenches are now out of style.

A young man who occasionally "rolls the bones" in a quiet oontz game said: "I see written on the black-board at school the following maxim: I would rather be right than to be president. That's my sentiment exactly. I would rather be 'right' in a crap game than to be any country's president."

The Necessity of Composure.

One thing that, if not a necessity, is at least conducive to comfortable living, is hardly appreciated even by those who most need it. This is the need of having some time each day entirely alone. It is impossible to live comfortably without composure of mind, and there is no way of securing it so surely as to spend a short time each day (and a long time is even better) in silence, and free from interruptions. It is soothing to tired nerves, and strengthening to a tired mind. The person who does not like to be alone, who does not even strongly desire to be alone once in a while, is already on the highroad towards ill-health. It is the only way to have relief from the confusion of always being in some one's presence, which will, sooner or later, either affect the nerves or weaken the mind.

Wherever, or however, you live, then, see to it that you have at least one hour out of every twenty-four that you can call your own. Some busy people may at first think this is impossible; but we rarely find anyone who does not waste more than this every day, and who is not the worse off for the waste. The very act of taking this hour strengthens the will and adds that much to the comfort of living, since a weak-willed person is at the mercy of every thing and every person that encroach upon his rights; and not the least of these is the right to live a healthy, comfortable life.—From "Sanitarian," Demorest Magazine for October.

Root Rot of the Apple Tree.

Editors of the Indiana Farmer.
What is the cause of apple trees dying from the ground down, while they are green above? I had several nice, thrifty trees this spring that were dead as could be below the ground, and they put out leaves, and the top is now drying up. Some Grime's Golden that I had bought very hardy and stood the winters well have died in this manner. Is root grafting responsible for this disease? A. H. B.

Hamilton Co.
W. H. Ragan, secretary of our state horticultural society, replies as follows: "Your Hamilton county correspondent has a well defined case of a seriously-contagious fungus disease of the apple tree known as 'root rot.' It has been thoroughly and scientifically described in a bulletin published some months ago by the United States department of agriculture. Its spread is comparatively slow, but very true, although it seems to prefer certain varieties, notably the Grime's Golden. An inquiry was made concerning this fatal disease at the recent meeting of the Indiana horticultural society at New Amsterdam, but no new light was developed concerning remedies, etc. This fearful disease is now very generally distributed throughout the country. My first knowledge of it was some twenty odd years since, in the orchards near Alton, Ill. my attention having been called to it by the late Hon. W. C. Flagg, then secretary of the Illinois state horticultural society."

REPUBLICAN SPEAKINGS.

The republicans of Fox Ridge precinct will organize a club on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. H. C. Lewis will be there. The meeting will be held in the school house.

Hon. Chas. W. Smith, Greencastle, at the court house, Saturday, September 22, at 1:30 p. m.

Hon. Jesse Overstreet, republican candidate for congress in the Fifth district, will address the people of Putnam county at the following places: On Sept. 24, at 2 p. m., at Roschdale; Sept. 25, 2 p. m., at Russellville; Sept. 26, 2 p. m., at Reelsville; Sept. 27, 2 p. m., at Cloverdale.

The Weather.

The indications for this vicinity for the coming thirty-six hours are as follows as received by H. S. Renick & Co. from the official weather bureau at Indianapolis: INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 21. Local rains on Saturday, WAPPENHANS.

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No 44th Local..... 12:05 p. m.
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Daily, except Sunday.

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No 5 Ex. Sun..... 8:56 a. m., for St. Louis.
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No 11 Daily..... 12:30 p. m., for St. Louis.
No 21 Daily..... 1:52 p. m., for St. Louis.
No 3 Ex. Sun..... 5:28 p. m., for Terre Haute.
FOR THE EAST.
No 4 Ex. Sun..... 8:56 a. m., for Indianapolis.
No 20 Daily..... 1:52 p. m., " "
No 8 Daily..... 3:35 p. m., " "
No 2 Ex. Sun..... 6:20 p. m., " "
No 12 Daily..... 2:28 a. m., " "
No 6 Daily..... 3:32 a. m., " "
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Tom Crowder went to Knights-
town today.

Charles W. Smith at the court
house tomorrow.

Mrs. Art Jackson is visiting rel-
atives at Darwin.

Miss Mintie Allen is at home
from Indianapolis.

P. R. Christie is at Terre Haute
and Clinton today on business.

Rev. Middleton went to Bloom-
ington last night to attend confer-
ence.

Frank Sears and family and Mrs.
DeVore are visiting at Rockville
this week.

Miss Clara and Fred Meltzer
have returned from their visit to
Indianapolis.

H. H. Mathias went to Wilming-
ton Wednesday. Mrs. Mathias is
sick in that city.

Mrs. Nelson Anderson, of Monon,
is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas.
Pfeifferberger, jr.

Dr. Chas. Brown, of Plymouth,
is visiting his mother, Mrs. Brown,
near Brick Chapel.

Miss Nellie Cook left this morn-
ing for Tipton, where she has a
place in the city schools.

W. S. Hall, who formerly lived
south of the city, was here yester-
day. He now resides in Alexan-
dria.

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Huseman,
who have been visiting Mrs. Mary
Ames and family, returned today
to Union City.

The Monon is arranging for a
cheap excursion to Chicago from
Crawfordsville on Oct 2. The rate
will be two dollars.

Hermann Hinsching and Henry
Werneke are playing with the Ring-
gold band, of Terre Haute, at the
state fair this week.

Miss Mamie Farr, who has been
spending the summer with her un-
cle, Mr. J. V. Durham, and family,
returned to her home in Kansas
City, Mo., last Wednesday. Miss
Farr is a very superior young lady

in many ways, and has completely
won the hearts of all those who
were so fortunate as to meet her
this summer.

Rev. R. R. Bryan is a member of
the committee on periodicals at the
Indiana conference. Dr. Poucher
is on the educational committee.

Prof. W. W. Norman leaves today
for his new field of work at Austin,
Texas. Mrs. Norman will visit rel-
atives at Sedalia, Mo., before going
to Texas.

The great game with DePauw
will be two weeks from Saturday,
and I. U. must win. There will be
a practice game Saturday after-
noon, to which every one is invited.
—Bloomington Telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perkins, of
Raub, Benton county, are visiting
the former's brother, Mr. Ed. Per-
kins. Mrs. Orpha Perkins, mother
of the gentlemen, arrived with Mr.
Perkins. She has been visiting at
Raub.

Among the passengers for Indi-
anapolis this morning were: J. P.
Allee and son, Mr. and Mrs. R. L.
O'Hair, Peter Stoner, F. M. Glide-
well, Quinton Broadstreet, Chas.
Barnaby, Will Irvin, Wm. Albaugh
and Virgil Broadstreet.

Within a few days two new trains
will be put on this division of the
Big Four. A train will leave St.
Louis at noon, arriving at India-
napolis at 6:50 p. m. A west-bound
train hauling only express, mail
and baggage cars will follow the
midnight train, running twenty-
five minutes behind.

An effort is being made to get an
eighty-cent rate to Indianapolis on
Tuesday. It should be had by all
means. The state fair got it, and the
hearing and seeing of Mr. William
McKinley is a far more important
matter than gazing on fat steers,
Berkshire hogs or over-grown
pumpkins. Let's have that rate,
railroad people.

The Danville Gun Club went to
Greencastle Tuesday and was de-
feated by a score of 309 to 302,
Greencastle making the best score
that it ever made in a contest.
About twenty-five went down from
here, and they were treated royally
by our neighbors in Putnam's cap-
ital. A return "shoot" will be held
in Danville in about two weeks,
when our boys will take pleasure
in returning favors received.—*Dan-
ville Republican.*

Last evening at the residence of
Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Lockridge oc-
curred a farewell party in honor of
Mrs. Minnie Cox, who will soon
leave Greencastle for her new home
in Huntington, West Virginia.
About fifty people were present,
each taking his or her refreshments,
and a jolly good time was had by
all. The affair was intended as a
surprise for the guest of honor,
but through a misunderstanding
she was thoroughly posted. Mrs.
Cox will leave next week for her
home in Huntington, which she de-
scribes as a flourishing city of 20-
000 inhabitants, where her husband
is engaged in business.

The Vandalia has put a force of
men at work with a steam shovel
in the gravel pit near Terre Haute,
running the shovel day and night.
The company expects to distribute
a large quantity of gravel on the
main line within the next sixty
days.

Elder A. J. Frank, of this city,
and Mrs. Cope, of Brownsburg,
were united in marriage at the
bride's home Wednesday morning
at eight o'clock. Mr. and Mrs.
Frank will make their home in this
city.

In circuit court John Epperson
has been granted a divorce from
Margaret Epperson on account of
abandonment.

Hon. W. W. Lambert, of Colum-
bus, member of the state central
committee of the 5th district, is
here today.

Dr. W. H. Hickman, of Terre
Haute, is here today.

Clarence Vestal saw Pompeii last
night.

"I'll tell you how it is," said the
wild-eyed patient to the asylum
physician. "I met a young widow
with a grown step-daughter, and I

married that widow. Then my
father met our step-daughter and
married her. That made my wife
the mother-in-law of her father-in-
law, and my step-daughter my step-
mother, and my father my step son.
See? Then my step-mother, the
step-daughter of my wife, had a
son. That boy, was, of course, my
brother, because he was my father's
son; but he was also the son of my
wife's step-daughter, and therefore,
her grandson. That made me
grandfather of my step-brother.
Then my wife had a son. My
mother-in-law, the step sister of my
son, is his grandmother, because he
is her step-son's child. My father
is the brother-in-law of my child,
because his step sister is his wife.
I am the brother of my own son,
who is also the child of my step-
grandmother. I am my brother's
brother-in-law, my wife is her own
child's aunt, my son is my father's
nephew, and I'm my own grand-
father—and I can't stand it."

The Gentleman's Literary Club
will meet with Dr. G. C. Smythe
on Monday evening. Dr. Smythe
will read a paper on "The Evolu-
tion of Money" before the club.

Mr. Elliott, of Lexington, is vis-
iting his sister, Mrs. Mary L. Mark.
They are visiting at Salem today.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Murry and
Dr. Gobin left at noon to attend
conference at Champaign, Ill.

Ed. Stone, who has been visiting
his parents, returned to Toledo, O.,
today.

Robert Neil, of Bloomington, is
visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Terrell, of Fillmore, is in
the city visiting friends.

Mr. St. John, of Salem, is vis-
iting at Dr. Poucher's.

NEWS FROM DEPAUW.

THE BEST DAILY HAPPENINGS OF
THE UNIVERSITY

Look in this Column for It—Guests and
Entertainments—Notes, Items and An-
nouncements—The Very Latest and the
Best by Special Reporter.

E. C. Robinson, formerly of '96,
begins study with '98.

Earl Fuldrer, of Columbus, Ind.,
is a pledged Sigma Chi.

C. E. Neale, a Deke of Centre
college, Ky., will enter '97.

A number of young men are tak-
ing work in the music school.

Will Hanna, of Seattle, Wash.,
is a pledged Delta Tau Delta.

E. L. Crowder, of Sullivan, Ind.,
is a pledged Phi Gamma Delta.

Messrs. Thomas and Renick, of
'98, are pledged Phi Delta Thetas.
Great interest is manifested in
recitations by both old and new stu-
dents alike.

The dormitory has over one hun-
dred boarders and the rooms are
rapidly filling up.

The opening in the music and
art schools is much better than it
was at this time last year.

Mrs. Gertrude Simson Taylor, a
former graduate of DePauw, is
visiting Alpha Phi sisters.

An excellent concert will be
given next Wednesday night for
the benefit of the athletic.

Eleven new uniforms have been
ordered for the foot ball team. The
coach understands his business and
has the confidence of the players.
The financial support is the only
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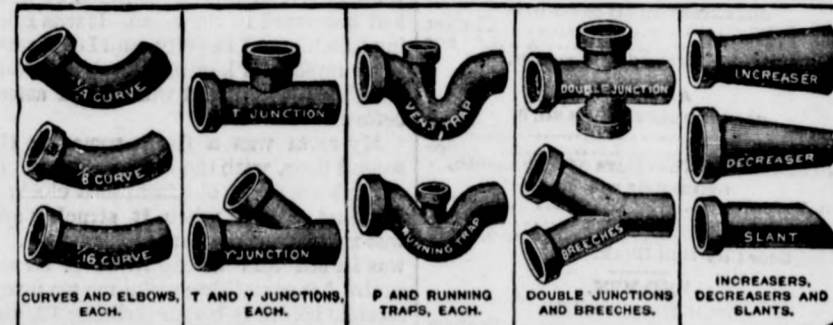
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Two Ghost Stories

By CHARLES B. LEWIS (M. QUAD).

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On the public highway between Bloomfield and Nashville, Ind., a man named Jacob Wellman erected a roadside inn in the year 1866. The man had to run in debt to complete the house, and two years after he opened it the place passed into the hands of his creditors. One night, after he had become satisfied that he must lose the place, Wellman hung himself in one of the bedrooms. He had a wife, but no children. After the funeral the wife went away to friends in Wisconsin, and the inn was closed until a tenant could be found. This occurred two months later,



FOUND HIM SITTING UP IN BED.

but the landlord was hardly settled in the place when he was terribly upset by the discovery that he had a ghost for a guest. Traveler after traveler complained to him of hearing sighs and groans and lamentations at night. These sounds all emanated from the bedroom in which "old Wellman," as he was generally called, had hanged himself. Within six weeks after the first complaint the inn was closed again. By this time many stories had got abroad, and the ordinary traveler refused to put up at the place. The second tenant, whose name I have forgotten, admitted that he and his wife had heard curious noises, but being a hard headed man he would have staid on had not his custom fallen off to nothing.

The third tenant, who took the inn after it had been closed for eight months, was a man from Akron, O., named George White. He had a wife and two children, and he declared that he would "lay" the ghost if he had to pull the house down over his own head. He opened the place, advertised it as "The Haunted Inn" and for three months made money. People drove 30 miles to stop overnight with him. Parties of six, eight and ten men and women were made up, and at midnight there would sometimes be 20 people in the public parlor to listen for ghostly sounds. Nothing was heard to disturb or alarm any one, and as time passed on the stories began to die out. On the night of June 21, 1871, I rode up to White's inn, as it was called, on horseback. It was 9 o'clock, and just as I reached the inn it began raining. There were 14 other guests in the place, mostly teamsters and farmers. For the first six or eight weeks of his stay White had used the suicide room for a family bedroom, but as no noises had been heard had then changed it back to a guest's room. This was the room given me for the night. I had never heard of the ghost, nor did I know that White's inn differed from any of the other roadside houses along the highway. I smoked a pipe in the office, chatted with White and some of the guests for awhile and went to bed without a suspicion of what had happened in the room. It was raining steadily and heavily, and I congratulated myself on having found such comfortable quarters and was sound asleep before 11 o'clock.

My room was a front room on the second floor, with the office below it. In the office was an old fashioned clock. I had just arrived when it struck 9 and was in the office when it struck 10. I was in bed and asleep when it struck again, but something woke me up a few seconds before it began striking 12, and I counted every stroke. I lay there wondering what had aroused me when I heard a long drawn groan as of some one in pain. The noise was so close to me that I instinctively reached over to see if some one had not crept onto the back side while I slept. I was not a bit frightened or nervous.

When I heard the noise a second time, I argued that the guest in the next room must be ill or talking in his sleep. The next sound was a movement under my bed, and I own to being startled. It might be a dog, or it might be a man, and though there was no fear of personal violence in that quiet inn the idea of something under the bed was a test on the nerves. I was trying to remember just where I had placed the matches when there came a sound as of some one sobbing with grief, and before it had died away I was out of bed and had a match in my trembling fingers.

I frankly admit that when I had struck a light and looked under the bed and around the room and found nothing I was frightened. This feeling soon turned to disgust, however. I had made a ride of 40 miles that day, and being overtired and nervous had imagined the whole thing. After making myself believe this was the case I blew out the light and got back into bed, but not over five minutes had passed when I heard the same noises again. I was not frightened this time. I got up, struck a light and went into the hall and knocked at the door of the next room, sure that the man occupying it was ill. To my surprise, he promptly called out, "Come in!" and when I entered it was to find him sitting up in bed and frightened half to death. He had heard the same noises, and being posted as to "old Wellman's" ghost was greatly upset by the occurrence. He returned with me to my room, and for half an hour we sat on the bed with the light burning and lis-

tened to the queer sounds. Then we became so frightened that we awoke the landlord, and in rousing him we turned out most of the guests. All who came heard the noises, and though there was a good deal of chaffing about "the ghost" there was a mystery which could not be explained away, and the doings of that night worked the downfall of the inn.

All the stories received a fresh start, travelers again avoided the place, and within the year White had to close up. The house stood for several months and was then torn down and the materials used to construct a farmhouse 10 miles away. The men who demolished the inn found nothing to explain the mysterious sounds, but they did not look for the cause. I am satisfied that in the weatherboarding there was a crevice or knot-hole, and that when the wind blew from a certain direction and with the requisite force it moved the loose end of a board or lath or splinter in the hollow between the walls. This movement produced a grating sound which at night could be distorted into almost any other sound. I certainly heard, or fully believed that I heard, sighs, groans and sobbings. The same was the case with 50 other persons, and yet the cause and effect were no doubt to be reasonably explained. They were not, however, and for this reason a thriving business was broken up, tenants driven away and hundreds of people made believers in the supernatural.

In the case of the second house I shall not fix its location, as it is today occupied by its owner, who would naturally object to the notoriety attached. I will tell you, however, that it stands in the suburbs of a western city, and in the year 1879 was a couple of miles beyond the corporate limits and was built for and occupied by a young farmer and gardener named Prescott. When Prescott had been married a year, his wife ran away from him. Her action half crazed him. He followed her over the country in a vain pursuit, and when he returned home he refused to hold any intercourse with relatives or neighbors and for two years did not step foot off the place. As he did no work, things went to ruin, and about the time his relatives appealed to the law to have Prescott adjudged insane and taken care of he settled the matter by shooting himself. He had been dead a week when the body was discovered.

It was several months before the property was put through the courts and the house occupied by a brother named Oscar Prescott, who had a wife and three children. He was employed in the freighthouse of a railroad, and though there was considerable gossip about ghosts and spooks he moved into the house and smiled in contempt for all such talk. Within six months, however, he moved out again. The wife and children whispered of uncanny things, but Oscar had other excuses. He sold the place to a man named Baker, and after a few months Baker sold it to a man named Hines. I give you the names because, as a reporter, I hunted up the records. Hines was a wood engraver who did an occasional job for the paper on which I was employed, and I thus came to know him. When the property was divided, the house and half an acre of ground were parceled off together. Hines was a poor man and could only make a first payment of a few hundred dollars. He had a wife and one child, the latter being a boy about 8 years old. The family had occupied the house about six weeks when Mrs. Hines was thrown into a terrible fright one afternoon as she sat sewing. It was in summer, with doors and windows open. The boy was asleep on the lounge and the house quiet when Mrs. Hines heard some one walk into the front hall and go up stairs. From where she sat she could not see the stairs, but after her first shock of surprise she laid down her work and went up to face the in-



WE RUSHED IN WITH A LIGHT.

truder. The fact of her doing so is proof that she was a nervy woman. She told me personally, as she told several others, that she was positive about the steps in the hall and on the stairs, and she was therefore considerably dismayed when a close search of the house failed to reveal the presence of a third person.

Her husband joked her about day dreaming, and after a bit she came to the conclusion that her imagination had played her false. Five days later, however, while in the garden at 4 o'clock one afternoon, she sent the boy into the house and up stairs on an errand. After two or three minutes she heard him scream out and fall, and when she rushed in to investigate he lay in his bedroom in an unconscious condition. When revived, he declared that he had entered the room to find a strange man sitting on a chair, and that the man had threatened him with a club. Curious as you may think it, he gave a faithful description of the Prescott who had suicided.

The day following the above occurrence Hines related the particulars to the city editor of our paper and to two or three reporters. We "guyed" him, of course, and when he declared his belief that the house was haunted we had a hearty laugh at his expense. In a joking way we asked him to keep us posted as to future manifestations, and all of

us were considerably taken aback when he made another report within a week. Hines was a man of good sense, and his wife was a woman not easily frightened. On the night of the third day after the boy's adventure the weather turned so cool that doors and windows were closed.

At half past 10 o'clock, the boy being asleep in his room off the family bedroom and Hines and his wife making ready for bed, some one opened the front door and came walking up stairs and passed into another bedroom. Man and wife sat there for a moment wondering if their ears had deceived them and then walked into the other room. They found no one. They searched the house in vain, and they found every door and window securely fastened. Both argued that it was a case of imagination, but at 3 o'clock in the morning the boy came running into the room and cried out that "that man" had come again. This time the unseen person went clumping down stairs and out of doors, though the front door still remained fastened. Hines did not want to lose the money he had paid on the place and was anxious to have the mystery solved. He sent his wife and child away for a week, and I was instructed by the city editor to work on the case as a special Sunday article. This will satisfy you that we believed in Hines' story—that is, we believed he told things as he believed them to be.

On the fifth or sixth night after the boy's second fright I went out to stay all night with Hines. We sat up and smoked and talked till daylight and heard nothing. On the second night we went to bed at 11 o'clock. I went to sleep almost at once, but he was nervous and remained awake. At 12:30 he heard some one open the kitchen door, cross the room, enter the sitting room and pass into the front hall, as if to come up stairs. He aroused me just as the footsteps reached the stairs, and together we listened to their farther advance. They ascended the stairs slowly and laboriously, a step at a time, and on reaching the landing passed through the family bedroom into the boy's room. He rushed in with a light, but made no discovery. We searched the house from top to bottom with no result. Doors and windows were fast, and no human being could have entered.

On the succeeding night there were three of us, and we sat in the kitchen till 12:30. At that hour the ghost opened the front door and walked up stairs. On the third night there were four of us, and we sat in the family bedroom. At 1 o'clock the ghost came in by way of the kitchen, as on the first night. One man might be deceived by noises, and I admit that two men might be carried away by their imagination. In this case four of us heard the sound, and it is absurd to say that we were frightened or mistaken. We stood at the head of the stairs as the "thing" came down the hall and up stairs, and though it had to pass between us to get into the room we neither saw nor felt its presence. I wrote the story for our paper, and its publication doomed the house. Hines moved out, the house stood empty for a long time, and I personally knew several men who refused to occupy it rent free. When the place was bought by its present owner, the house was pretty well torn to pieces in the remodeling, and the family deny having ever encountered any mystery. While I know I heard those footsteps, and while three others will make oath to the same thing, I scout the idea of a ghost and believe that could have been explained away after patient investigation. How to explain away what the boy saw is a different matter, as he knew nothing whatever of Prescott and had heard no talk to make him nervous and timid. I give you the particulars as I worked them out for a four column article, and you can place the ghost to suit yourself.

Her Parcel Struck Twelve.

The embarrassment and the amusement that a simple incident can sometimes occasion were illustrated on a Market street electric car a day or two ago. The car was filled, and one of the passengers was an attractive young woman, who had a large package on her lap.

Suddenly there was heard the peculiar burr-r-r that the old style of clocks make as a warning that they are about to sound the hour. The young woman almost leaped from the seat, colored to a bewitching crimson and further attracted an undesired attention by a half smothered exclamation. In another instant the musical tones of a bell were heard, and the distressed young woman excitedly gathered the package to her bosom, as does a mother in attempting to silence the cries of a child. One time she seemed to be on the verge of throwing the package out of the window. Meanwhile the clock, which was on the hour of 12, continued to toll out the numbers with painful exactness and slowness.

By the time the strokes had reached a half dozen every person on the car was laughing, and before the last stroke was delivered the holder of the timepiece had recovered her self control, and after a brief battle for dignified composure had given herself up to a full share of the general enjoyment.—Louisville Courier Journal.

Herring.

It is asserted that the species of fish known by the common name of herring are the most prolific of all the denizens of the ocean. According to figures deduced by the British fish warden, a single pair, could all their eggs escape harm, would become the parents of 150,000,000 children in three years, and in 20 years their progeny would be of a bulk equal to that of our world.—St. Louis Republic.

The Lawyer.

First Lawyer—What are you going to do now that your client has confessed? Second Lawyer—Put in a plea of insanity. A man who will make a confession when he had me to defend him must surely be insane.—Indianapolis Journal.

Things Yet to Be.

Some say this world is an old, old world,
But it's always been new to me,
With its boundless range of ceaseless change
And hope of things to be.
A new friend takes my hand
When the old ones pass away.
The old days die, but the light in the sky
Is the dawn of another day.

Some say this world is a cold, cold world,
But it's always been bright to me,
With its hearthstone fires and warm desires
For the things that are yet to be.
And if I must labor I wait
And trust to the fields I have sown,
For I know there is truth in the promise of youth—
I will some time come to my own.

Some say this world is a sad, sad world,
But it's always been glad to me,
For the brook never laughs like my soul
when it quaffs
And feasts on the things to be;
The light comes on with its rest;
The morning comes on with its song;
The hours of grief are few and brief,
But joy is a whole life long.

Some say this world is a bad, bad world,
But it's always been good to me,
With its errors, there live dear hearts that forgive
And hope for the things to be.
This world is not old or cold,
This world is not sad or bad,
If you look to the right, forgetting the night,
And say to your soul, "Be glad."
—Alfred Ellison.

WEST VIRGINIA FOR PROTECTION.

Three Hundred Years Ago This Policy Was Born on Virginia Soil.

The question of protection for wool and manufactures thereof seems to have occupied the attention of the lawmakers in the American colonies in the very beginning of their history. As early as 1609 the colonists of Jamestown, Va., were provided with sheep, which did not increase very rapidly in consequence of their destruction by wolves, so that in 1648, 39 years after their first introduction, the number of sheep in the whole colony of Virginia was only 8,000. The first evidence of government protection for wool was in an enactment passed in 1657, setting forth that no sheep be transported out of the colony except upon such penalties as may be thought fit by the governor and the council, and in 1662 Virginia, by a statute, not only prohibited the exportation of wool, but offered a bounty as an encouragement to the raising of sheep and the establishment of woolen manufactures by offering five pounds of tobacco (at that time Virginia currency) for every yard of woolen cloth made in the colony.

This protection was born on Virginia soil. The principle of protection to American industries was again recognized in 1664, when, with a view to diversifying industries, the general assembly of Virginia, at the public expense, established in each county looms for weavers. In 1668 a law was passed for the purpose of better converting wool, flax and hemp into clothing. The commissioners of the county courts were given authority to build houses for the instruction of poor children in the art of spinning and weaving.

And to further promote these objects laws were enacted in 1682 imposing heavy penalties upon the exportation of wool, and for the encouragement of the working up of wool into cloth a bounty of six pounds of tobacco was provided for every person making a yard of woolen cloth, or linsey woolsey, three-fourths of a yard wide, and for every dozen pairs of men's or women's woolen or worsted hose a bounty of 12 pounds of tobacco was offered. The price of wool was fixed at 8 pence per pound for fleeces, washed before shearing. In 1687 Virginia passed an act for the encouragement of domestic manufactures, including those from wool, which was rejected by the king as hostile to English interests, for in her colonial policy England was always selfish and cruel—a sow that devoured her own litter.

Negro hanged.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Sept. 21.—Wilson Woodley was hanged here yesterday. He was one of the conspirators in the Grant murder near Montgomery last spring. There were seven negroes in the conspiracy. One escaped, one was lynched, two were sent to the penitentiary for five years and three were executed in the jail.

Diamond Robbery.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 21.—Last night Mrs. W. W. Hite was robbed of diamonds valued at \$1,500. The robbery occurred while the family was at supper. Mrs. Hite was going out in the evening and laid her diamonds on a dresser in her room on the second floor. When she returned to her room the jewelry was gone.

Bondurant Found Not Guilty.

MADISON, Ind., Sept. 21.—The jury in the case of Richard Bondurant, indicted for murder in the first degree for killing George Armstrong, last night returned a verdict of not guilty.

Will Myers Caught.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 21.—At 1 o'clock this morning officers here caught Will Myers, who is wanted at Atlanta for the murder of Forest Crowley last Tuesday. He is in prison.

Celebrated with Great Ceremony.

ROME, Sept. 21.—The anniversary of the entry of the Italian troops into Rome was celebrated yesterday with great ceremony throughout Italy. King Humbert, in a telegram to the mayor of Rome, prophesied that the celebration of 1895 would also be the celebration of the economic resurrection of Italy.

Robbed the House and Set It on Fire.
PITTSBURG, Sept. 21.—Burglars broke into the residence of Alexander Hartford, a wealthy contractor at Ingram, yesterday morning, carried off all the silverware and jewelry and set fire to the house. Hartford, who was the only occupant, his family being away, narrowly escaped with his life.

Caught Hold of a Live Wire.

PITTSBURG, Sept. 21.—Officer Peter Dilloa of the Allegheny police force was instantly killed yesterday by catching hold of a live electric light wire that had been blown down. It had fallen across the street, blocking travel, and he was endeavoring to remove it. He leaves a wife and three children.

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For further particulars see J. S. DOWLING, Agt.

Home Seekers Excursion to the South.

Oct. 2, Nov. 6 and Dec. 4, the Monon route will sell tickets at one fare for the round trip to all points in Kentucky (south of Louisville and Lexington) Tennessee, Mississippi, Georgia, Alabama, Florida, North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia. Also to New Orleans. Tickets good returning twenty days from date of sale. Stop-overs allowed south of Ohio river.
J. A. MICHAEL, Agt.

State Fair via Big Four.

A rate of one fare to Indianapolis Sept. 17 to 22 will be charged for round trip from all Big Four stations of this country. Return limit 24th.
269-tf F. P. HUESTIS, Agt.

Harvest Excursion via Big Four.

Sept. 25th the Big Four will sell harvest excursion tickets to points in Ala., Ark., Cal., Fla., Ga., I. T. Ida., N. W. Ia., Kan., La., Manitoba, Minn., Miss., S. W. Mo., Mont., Neb., N. M., N. C., N. Dak., Ok. T., S. C., S. Dak., Tenn., Tex., Utah, Wyoming. For particulars address F. P. Huestis, Agt-Greencastle. 267-tf

Big Four Land Seekers' Excursions.

Oct. 2, Nov. 6 and Dec. 4 round trip tickets will be sold at half fare to points in Ala., Fla., Ga., Ky., Ia., Miss., N. C., S. C., Tenn. and Va. Return limit 20 days. For rates and particulars consult F. P. Huestis, Agt. 195-tf